

# Complex Numbers — Basic Definitions

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The articles [8], [10], [5], [3], [4], [6], [1], [2], [9], and [7] provide the notation and terminology for this paper.

The functor  $i$  is defined by:

(Def. 1)  $i = [0 \mapsto 0, 1 \mapsto 1]$ .

Let  $c$  be a number. We say that  $c$  is complex if and only if:

(Def. 2)  $c \in \mathbb{C}$ .

Let us note that  $i$  is complex.

Let us mention that there exists a number which is complex.

Let  $x$  be a complex number. Let us observe that  $x$  is empty if and only if:

(Def. 3)  $x = 0$ .

We introduce  $x$  is zero as a synonym of  $x$  is empty.

Let  $x, y$  be complex numbers. The functor  $x + y$  is defined as follows:

(Def. 4) There exist elements  $x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2$  of  $\mathbb{R}$  such that  $x = x_1 + x_2i$  and  $y = y_1 + y_2i$  and  $x + y = +(x_1, y_1) + +(x_2, y_2)i$ .

Let us note that the functor  $x + y$  is commutative. The functor  $x \cdot y$  is defined by:

(Def. 5) There exist elements  $x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2$  of  $\mathbb{R}$  such that  $x = x_1 + x_2i$  and  $y = y_1 + y_2i$  and  $x \cdot y = +(\cdot(x_1, y_1), \text{op} \cdot (x_2, y_2)) + +(\cdot(x_1, y_2), \cdot(x_2, y_1))i$ .

Let us observe that the functor  $x \cdot y$  is commutative.

Let  $z, z'$  be complex numbers. Observe that  $z + z'$  is complex and  $z \cdot z'$  is complex.

Let  $z$  be a complex number. The functor  $-z$  yields a complex number and is defined as follows:

(Def. 6)  $z + -z = 0$ .

Let us notice that the functor  $-z$  is involutive. The functor  $z^{-1}$  yielding a complex number is defined by:

(Def. 7)(i)  $z \cdot z^{-1} = 1$  if  $z \neq 0$ ,

(ii)  $z^{-1} = 0$ , otherwise.

Let us observe that the functor  $z^{-1}$  is involutive.

Let  $x, y$  be complex numbers. The functor  $x - y$  is defined by:

(Def. 8)  $x - y = x + -y$ .

The functor  $\frac{x}{y}$  is defined by:

(Def. 9)  $\frac{x}{y} = x \cdot y^{-1}$ .

Let  $x, y$  be complex numbers. Note that  $x - y$  is complex and  $\frac{x}{y}$  is complex.

One can verify that there exists a complex number which is non zero.

Let  $x$  be a non zero complex number. One can verify that  $-x$  is non zero and  $x^{-1}$  is non zero.

Let  $y$  be a non zero complex number. One can verify that  $x \cdot y$  is non zero.

Let  $x, y$  be non zero complex numbers. Observe that  $\frac{x}{y}$  is non zero.

Let us observe that every element of  $\mathbb{R}$  is complex.

Let us observe that every number which is natural is also complex.

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